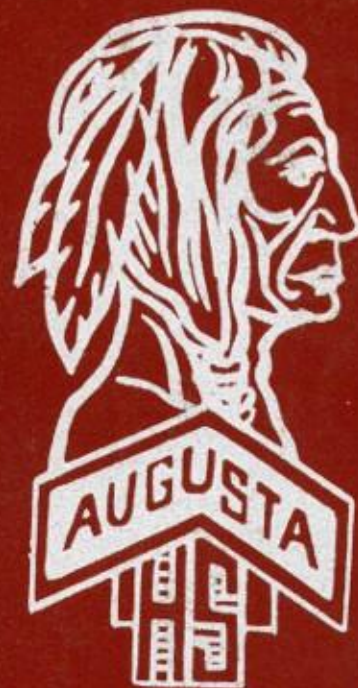




1961

HILLTOPPER

Sharon - Just think - will make the next
next year and with your help really cause a
lot of trouble with the teachers. It's just better
if I do without your notes, well second thought
I've already found out what I would do - (Snick-
Snick) I can't hardly wait til tomorrow cause you're
getting sharper everyday. Love -
Don Mathis

Dear Sharon.

Well, school is almost out
and summer vacation is here.

Be good this summer and watch
those boys. Remember Ubbie dear
how you helped me out with my
romance problems and other stuff.
I thank you for your interest in me.

Your friend

I love.

Erin Ringenberg

Dear Sharon.

We have been
neighbors and
friends for a long
time and I don't
want you to forget
our trips to Quincy
and all the other
good times.

Your friend

Ricky C.

Sharon:

What do you think of your picture
in the year book of "Miss Prin" from

the F. H. A. birthday party, It was a
real nice program and I enjoyed

it very much having a real nice time,
I also had quite a time even birthday

your house! I think I must have
driven 10 extra miles, & I had a real nice

time then didn't we and I hope the F. H. A.
party will be as nice next year.

a friend always,
Bob & Jennifer

Have fun
this summer
and don't be
too rough on
the boys.
Guaranteed
Ruth!

Sharon:

To a junior and
friend. Remember
the dinner we
had in the algebra room
when Mrs. Campbell
was gone.

Good luck as a senior.

always

Bill B.

Sharon,

To a real swell
fr. gal. Be good
next year when the
guiding seniors are gone.

Stay

Just always

Mike

F

School is almost over
for another year, isn't it.
I wish you had the year
the really been a lot, isn't it.
You have just one year and
then you are out of high school.
Best of luck in the future.

Sharon,
I hope you
will always remember
the good times we've
had together. Don't forget
our eighth hour classes. Best
wishes always.

Love,
Karen

P.S. Remember the night

May 11, 1961

Sharon - You are
a sweet junior. I am
a sweet junior. Keep that
sweet smile.

I did Augusta High School.
and hope to see you this summer
and chuck maybe.

Sharon.

Another junior pal

Remember all the fun we had
at the parties we're having. How'd they like make it?

Enough for it. I hope you enjoyed it. We sure worked hard
enough for it. I hope you enjoyed it. We sure worked hard
enough for it. I hope you enjoyed it. We sure worked hard

forget him! Please even like the
could possibly be the end of one of
year. There are so many things we've
won't be able to write forever. But
I'll stop now and wish you
every thing
are all to
another
H H

1961

HILLTOPPER

Sharon, Babe
Remember how the
good times we have
had. Now is the good
ole Paper Pickin
upper. That was a
lot of work. Looks as
if we will be stuck
with it again next
year. Hope we have as
much fun. I wanted to
ride in the back
of a pickup truck
so I could take a
tan but laws are
laws. Good Luck
in all you may
undertake and
may all your
wishes come
true. A friend
Sharon

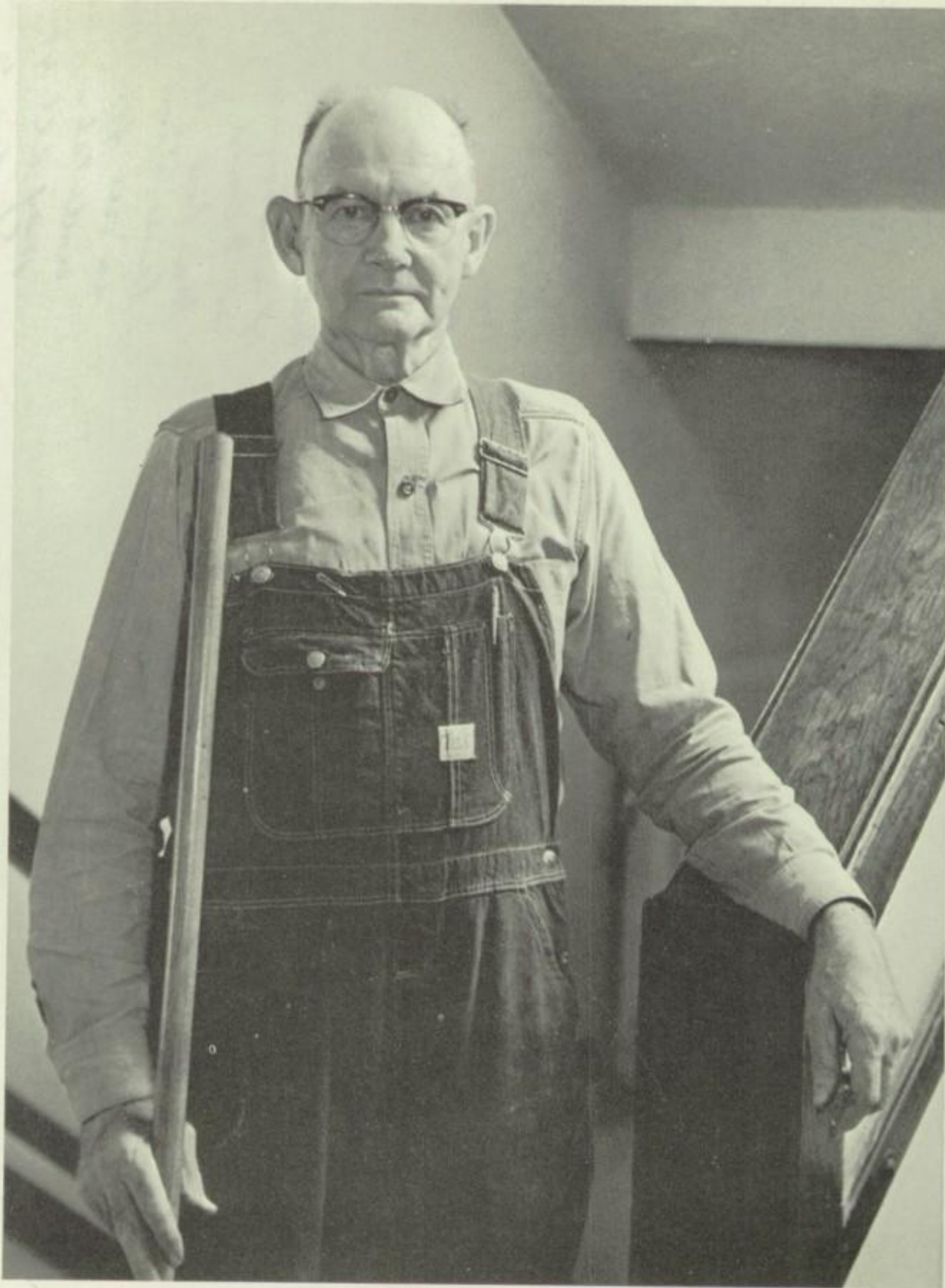
Sharon Hartick



Sharon:
Remember all the
hard trips. They
were fun.
If you always keep
your smile and
personality I am
sure your future
will be a good
one. Good luck
in all your future
endeavors.
A senior friend,
Janice

Sharon:
Remember the birthday party? It's really
had fun that night. Best of luck to
you always. Keep that pleasant
smile and nice ways and life
will be easy for you.
May all of your wishes
come true.
Love always,
Larry H. Lane

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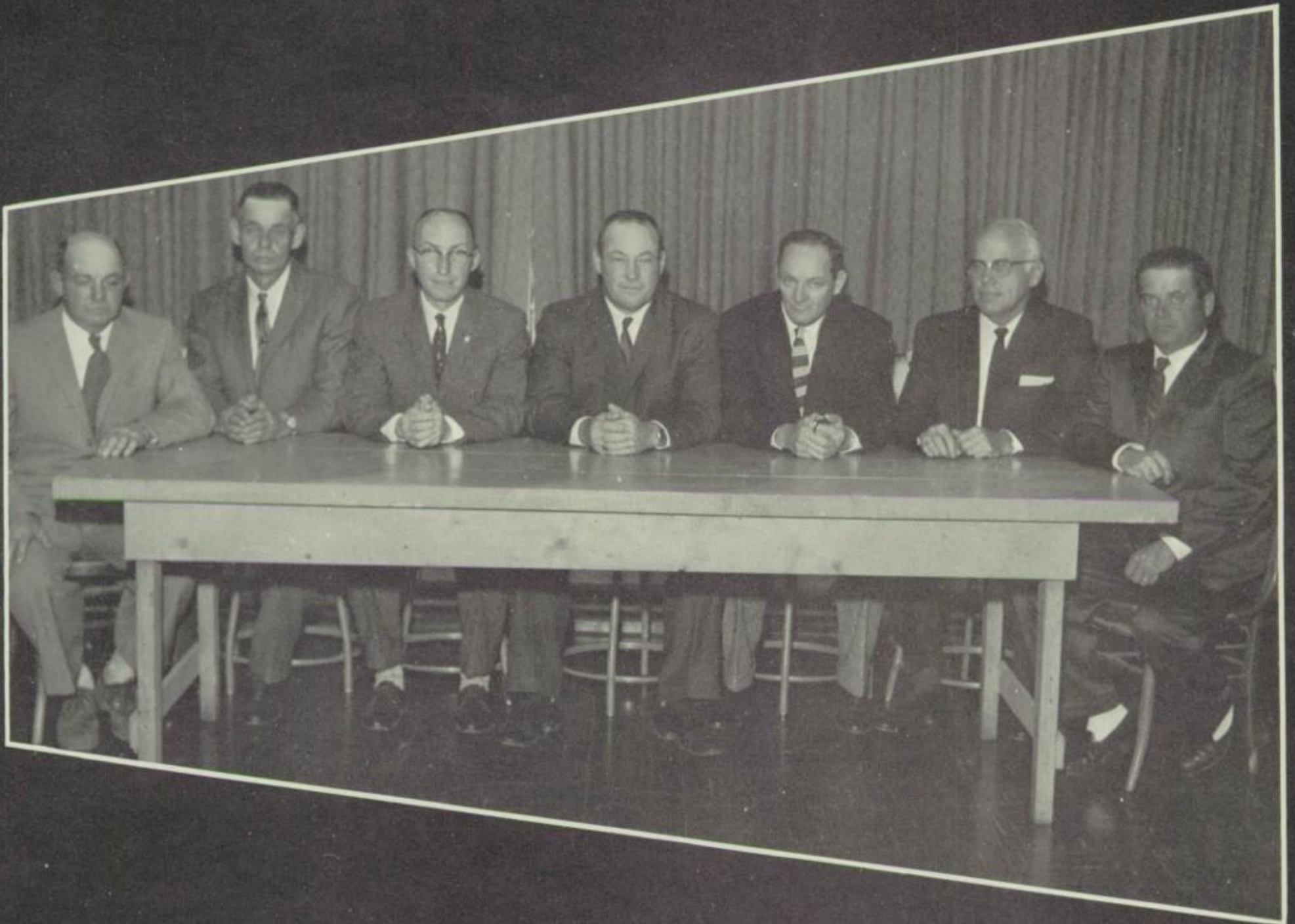


Mr. Ray Pierce

In Memoriam

To the memory of the service rendered our school by Mr. Ray Pierce, the senior class of 1961 dedicates this yearbook. His enjoyment of youth and the interest he took in them and their activities shall long be remembered by all who knew him during the 12 years he served at Augusta High School. The value of service can not be measured by the glamor and show of his work. The true value is seen only as we look back. Though his tasks seemed menial and thankless, no school could function without their completion.

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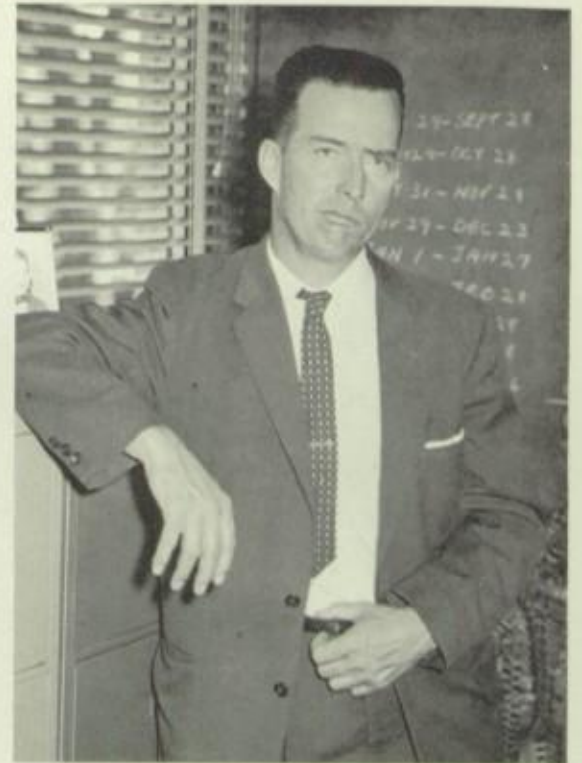
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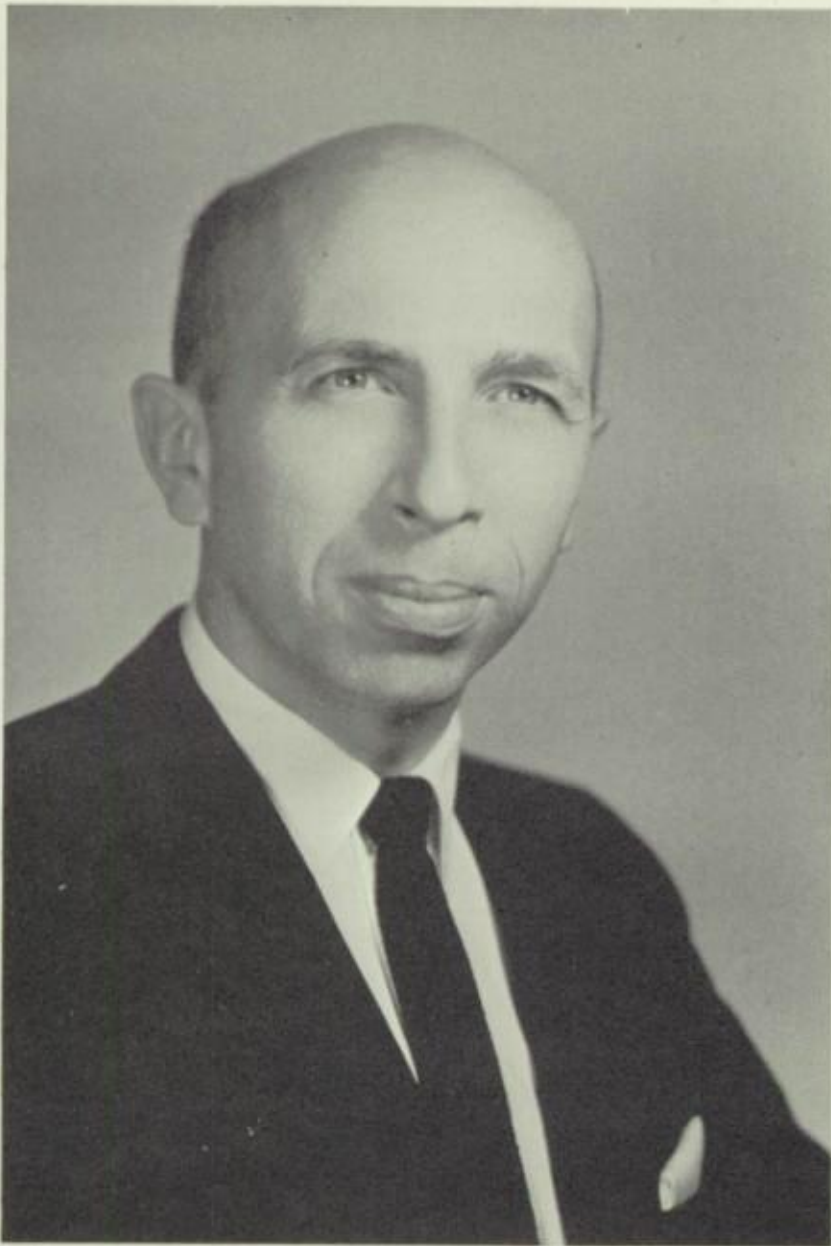


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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

You are on this Earth for only one reason: To Glorify God Through Your Life. This can be accomplished if you fully realize that you inherit your abilities and capabilities from your parents. You must realize that your school transmits knowledge and skills to you. You must develop attitudes and the desires that will combine all these factors to help you become the kind of person God wishes you to be.

W. E. Maynard

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*My Best Wishes to a Hard Worker
and a Spending Person. (I have
enjoyed our "sessions" together.)
Emma M. Campbell*

*Best wishes, Sharon. to a
good student and nice person.
See you again next year.
Marge Engel*



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Junior Class
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Sophomore Class
Sponsor.



*Buen suerte
a una estudiante
buena
Jack T. Engel*

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*Best wishes
I've enjoyed having
you in class.
Magdalene Heine*



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*Best wishes
in the future.
Janet Meyers*



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*Best of luck, Sharon.
Dennis Windler*

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Band, Chorus
Senior Class Sponsor



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*Good Luck
Bill Drake.*



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SENIOR MEMORY PAGES

If each member of the 1961 graduating class of A.C.H.S. could gather all the memories of his four years of high school into one volume, no two books would be the same. But how could we forget the mixed emotions of dread and anticipation of registration day, September, 1957? The fun and excitement of initiation opened a long road ahead of us. As our first class officers, Milo Shult, president; Larry Hiland, vice-president; Carolyn Bartlett, secretary; and Bob Stienbarger, treasurer, helped plan our year. We remember our first party at the Augusta Lake, our skating party in Quincy, and our class trip to Nauvoo and Fort Madison.

As sophomores, our memories include long afternoons of study halls, a gym party, and the class trip to Hannibal. Larry Hiland, president; Jean Slater, vice-president; Carolyn Bartlett, secretary; Harlan Eilers, treasurer; and Bonnie Eaton, reporter, led us through our sophomore year.

Our junior year found us picking up corn, selling magazines, and preparing our class play, "The Perfect Idiot." Remember the day we proud juniors received our class rings? Much work and conniving was taken to book passage to a South Sea Island in the South Pacific for the Junior-Senior Prom. Leading us were Jean Slater, president; Bob Stienbarger, vice-president; Bettie Roberts, secretary; and Don Long, treasurer.

As we come to our senior year, we see our book of memories drawing to a close. We will not forget initiating the Freshmen, working on the yearbook, presenting our class play, "Curtain Going Up!," receiving graduation pictures, and being guests of honor at our last Prom. So much work and so many activities seemed to be crowded into our last year. Leading us were Harlan Eilers, president; Milo Shult, vice-president; Jim Lucie, secretary; and Dick Robbins, treasurer.

Every book has a climax, and ours is no exception. As we approach our graduation night, we look back on the preceding four years with sentiment and gratitude in our hearts, for the experiences of growing up given us by the Augusta High School and her faculty.

Our final page finished, we close our book of memories with pride, not complacency. We begin to look to the future and a new book of memories.



JIM D. LUCIE
Band 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4;
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4; Class Officer 4; Class Play 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4;
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Jim Lucie



DICK ROBBINS
Abingdon High 1; Basketball 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4;
Class Officer 4; Pep Club 3,4; Spanish Club 2.

Dick Robbins

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2,3; Hi-Chatter 3; Hilltopper 4; Pep Club 3,4;
Speech 3.



Bonnie Sue Berg



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vention 4; Hi-Chatter 3; Hilltopper 3,4; Na-
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ish Club 3; Speech 3,4.



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4.



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Speech 2.

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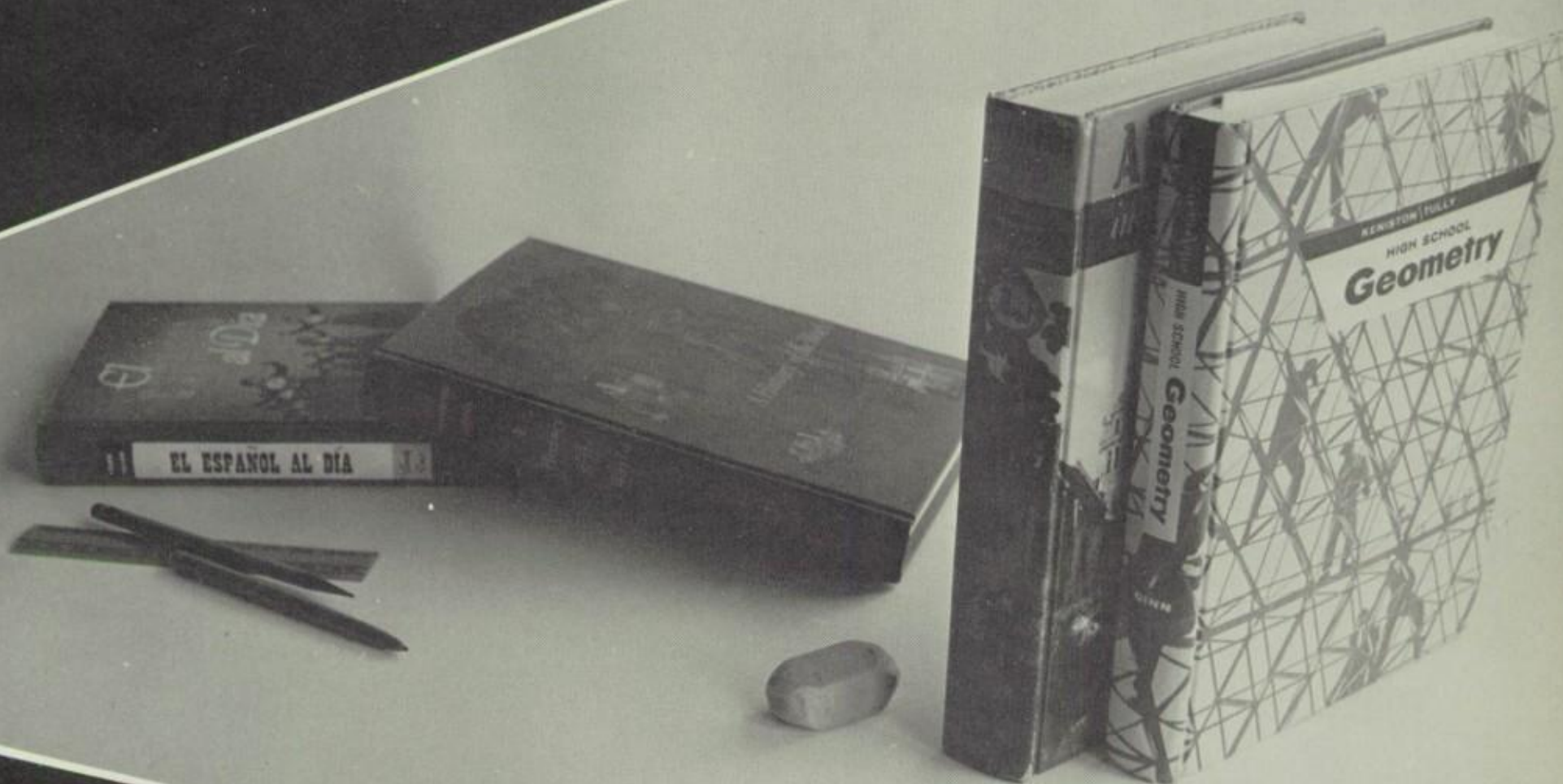
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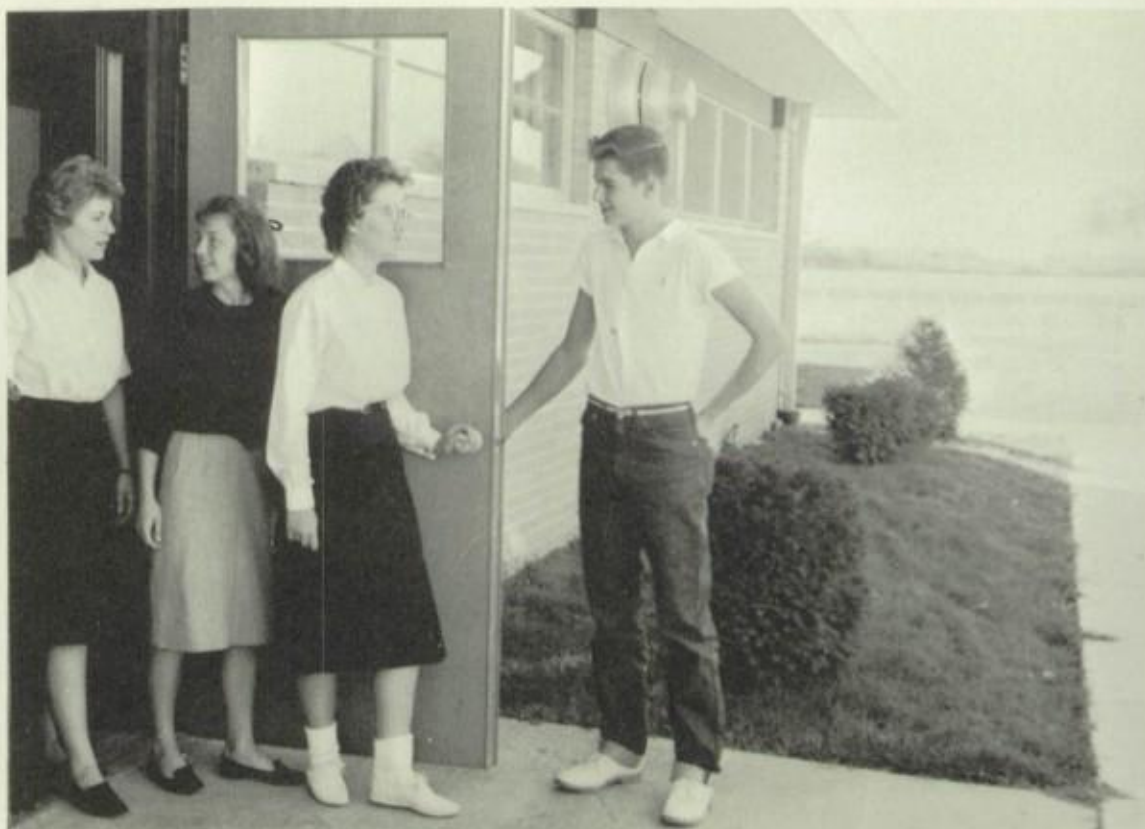


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Polka Dot Bat.



Hungry Hounds!



You caught me!



Hands Off! He's mine!



Scared Big Boy?



K. P. Duty.



Pinup Girl



Oh you guys!



On your marks, get set, go!



Too pooped to pop.



Watch it!



Just Married!



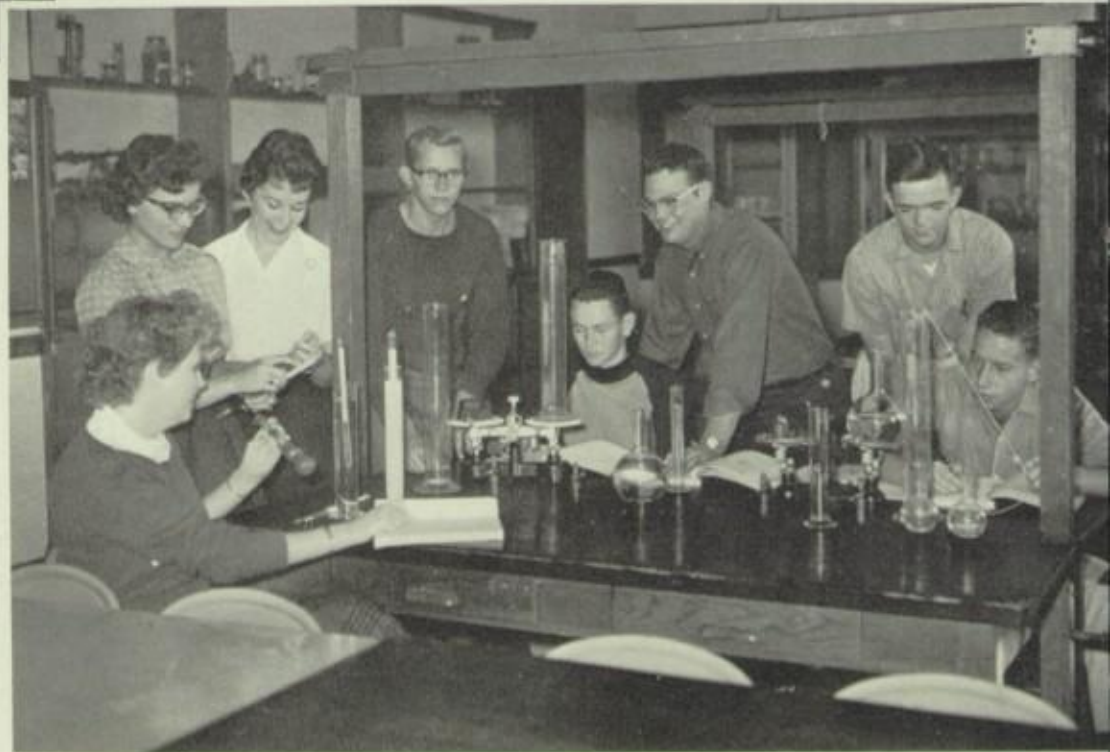
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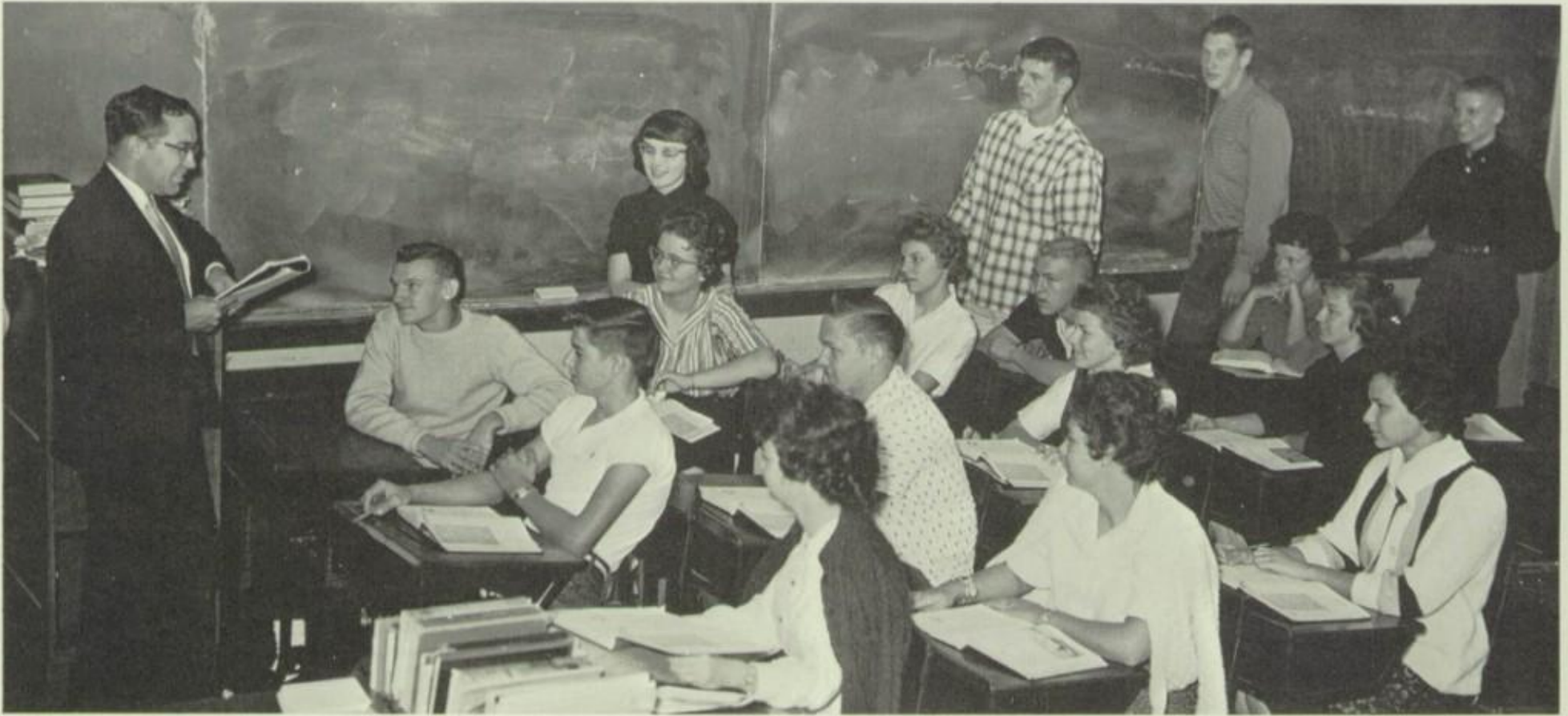
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Here comes the bride.



Bathing beauty.



Miss Priss.



Itchy knees, girls?



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Once upon a time.



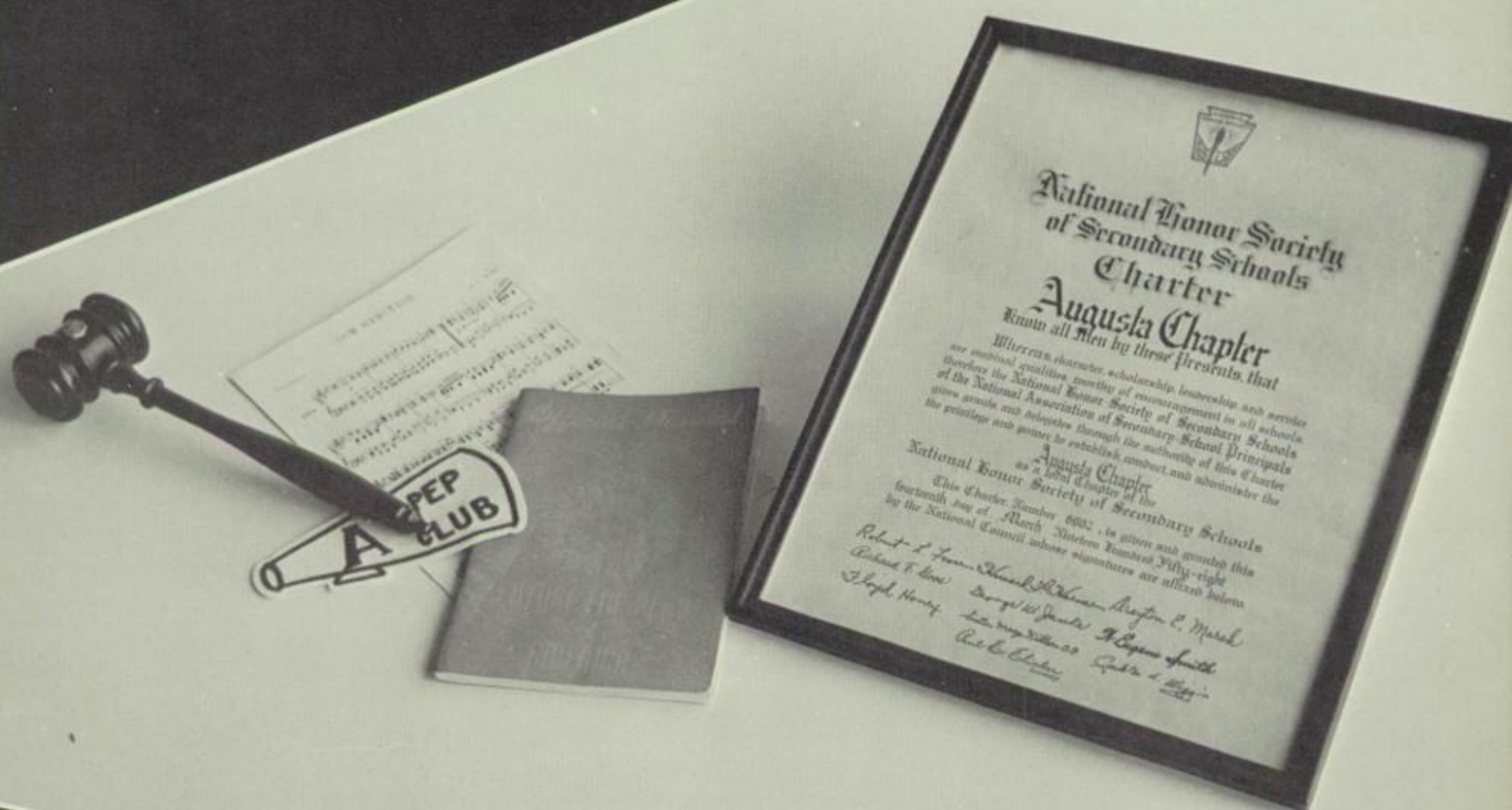
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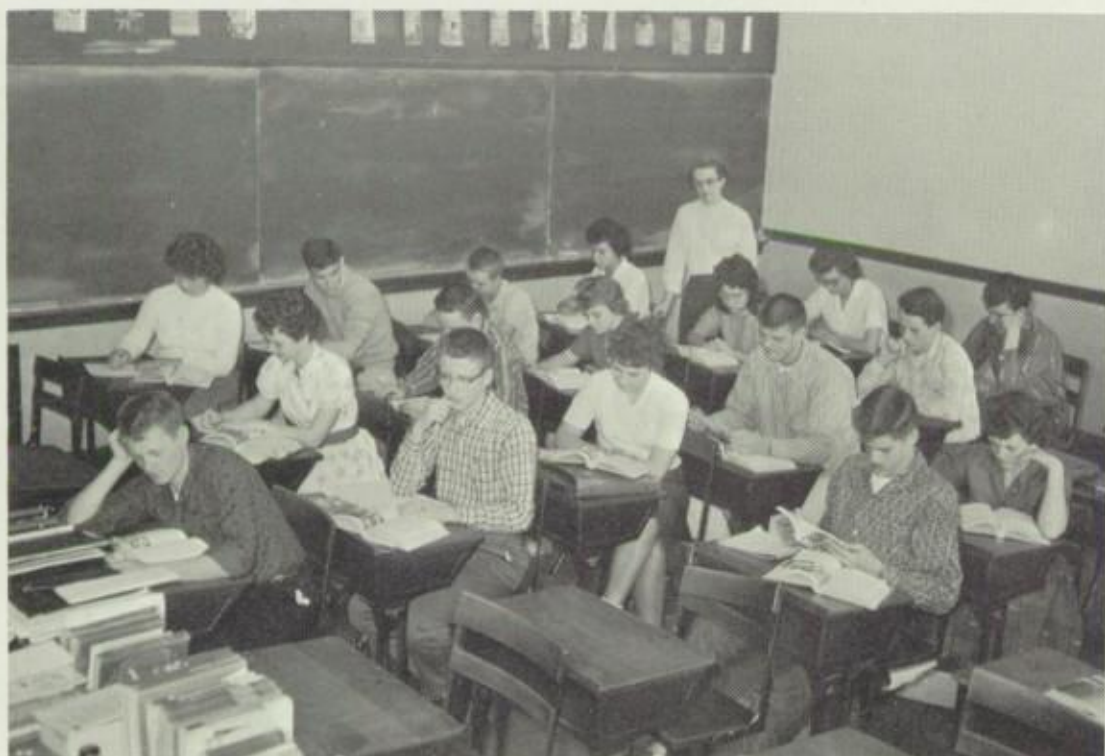
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FIRST ROW: Larry Albers, Connie Robertson, Jeanie Bell. SECOND ROW: David White, Judy Iunghuhn, Betty Downing, Martha Hillyer, Judy Anderson. THIRD ROW: Roger Kelly, Jim Ringenberg, Phyllis Bowman, Ronnie Croxton.



FIRST ROW: Don Mathis, Linda Lemon. SECOND ROW: Ronnie Walters, Kenny Bowles, Mary Sue Juett, Dick Young, Larry Billingsley, Melvin Schone. THIRD ROW: Sharen Wartick, Marvin Musick, Babe Brock, Mary Jane Tippey, Sharon Schone. FOURTH ROW: Karen Hornecker, Curtis Stout, Tom Ballas, Jane McGinnis. STANDING: Mrs. Engel.

SPEECH

Left to Right: Ray Boone, Mrs. Engel, Curtis Stout, Jean Slater, Charles Beadles, Marsha Goodrich.



STUDENT COUNCIL



SEATED: Mr. Maynard, Advisor; Curtis Stout, Secretary; Bette Weinberg, President; Don Long, Vice-President; Mary Juett, Treasurer. STANDING: Ruth Chockley, Judy Iunghuhn, Randy Billingsley, Ricky Croxton, Harlan Eilers, Bob Stienbarger, Dick Young, Kent Slater, Martha Maynard, Carol Lillis, Mollie Moore. Not in Picture: Bettie Roberts.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



SEATED: Jean Bell, Betty Downing, Carol Lillis, Mary Juett. STANDING: Bonnie Eaton, Carolyn Sights, Milo Shult, Larry Hiland, Don Long, Kenny Bowles, Bette Weinberg, Jean Slater.

CHORUS



FIRST ROW: Bob Stienbarger, Alberta Widener, Carolyn Sights, Judy Iunghuhn, Ginger Chambers, Babe Brock, Kenny Bowles. SECOND ROW: Lynn Lord, Carol Bartlow, Martha Maynard, Ruth Chockley, Donna Chockley, Diana Black. THIRD ROW: Lea Young, Carol Lillis, Mary Juett, Sharon Schone, Karen Hornecker, Julie Dennis. FOURTH ROW: Dick Robbin, Harlan Eilers, Milo Shult, Larry Hiland, Jim Lucie, Don Long, Tom Ballas. Accompanist: Bette Weinberg. Not in Picture: Carol Steiner.



Boys' Quartette

Left to Right: Kenny Bowles, Harlan Eilers, Jim Lucie, Milo Shult.



Girls' Sextet

Left to right: Ruth Chockley, Donna Chockley, Judy Iunghuhn, Carol Lillis, Julie Dennis, Ginger Chambers.



STANDING:
Martha Maynard,
Judy Iunghuhn,
Bettie Roberts,
Ruth Adams,
SEATED: Bette
Weinberg, Ruth
Chockley, Sher-
rill Fleming,
Sharen Wartick.



Dennis Windler, Director



Lois Bowman, Ginger Chambers, Julie Dennis, Marsha
Goodrich, Don Mathis, Ray Boone, Beverly Redenius,
Carol Lillis, Donna Chockley, Cheryl Collier.

A. C. H. S.



Judy Anderson, Kenny Bowles, Homer Stanley,
Bob Stienbarger, Milo Shult, Tom Ballas, Don
Beard.



STANDING: Jim Ballas, Kent Good-
rich, Ronnie Walters, Ricky Croxton,
Roger Burton, Charles Bagent. SEATED:
Lea Young.

Compliments of
DENNIS CHICKEN PRODUCTS



Phyllis Bowman,
Carolyn Sights, Sha-
ron Schone, Mary
Sue Juett, Lynn Lord.



SEATED: Bill Beard, Jerry Alexander.
STANDING: Larry Hiland.

Babe Brock, Sharon Merritt, Karen White, Diana Black,
Mary Adams, Marilyn Widener, Pat Burton, Pat Lord,
Jean Slater.

BAND



SEATED: Bill Holmes, Alberta Widener, Pat
Cooper, Larry Cady. STANDING: Jim Lucie,
Gary Groves, Dick Ringenberg, Bob Bunnell,
Curtis Stout, Harlan Eilers.



Karen Hornecker, Sharon Merritt, Mary
Jane Tippey, Connie Robertson, Linda
Lemon, Betty Downing.



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SENIOR PLAY



SEATED: Jean Slater, Alberta Widener, Bette Weinberg, Bonnie Berg, Ilene Williams. STANDING: Jim Ballas, Don Long, Bob Stienbarger, Dick Robbins, Jim Lucie, Carolyn Sights, Larry Hiland, Patsy Lord, Ruth Adams, Harlan Eilers, Marilyn Widener, Milo Shult.



"CURTAIN GOING UP"



F. H. A.



FIRST ROW: P. Cooper, J. Bell, P. Bowman, D. Steiner, SECOND ROW: D. Chockley, J. Dennis, P. Lord, J. Slater, C. Robertson, THIRD ROW: S. Wartick, L. Lemon, A. Widener, P. Whitford, S. Brillhart, B. Downing, FOURTH ROW: D. Black, K. White, L. Young, B. Redenius, G. Albers, M. Widener, M. Juett, FIFTH ROW: K. Hornecker, C. Sights, B. Weinberg, C. Lillis, M. Adams, B. Roberts, B. Brock, J. Iunghuhn, SIXTH ROW: J. McGinnis, S. White, B. Eaton, C. Bartlow, M. Hillyer, M. Moore, M. Goodrich, S. Fleming, J. Corder, SEVENTH ROW: R. Chockley, M. Maynard, G. Chambers, Y. Wear, J. Woods, L. Bowman, W. Jackson, L. Prather, J. McGinnis, L. Lord, EIGHTH ROW: J. Russell, I. Williams, B. Berg, R. Adams, S. Schone, M. Tippey, S. Payne, Not in Picture: Shirley White, Pat Payne, Eldora Loring, Carol Steiner.



SEATED: Mrs. Carolyn Holmes, Honorary Chapter Mother, Mrs. Jean Lewis, Chapter Mother, STANDING: Mrs. Janet Meyers, Advisor, Mrs. Vera Brock, Chapter Mother, Mrs. Emily Rodgers, Honorary Chapter Mother.



SEATED: Marilyn Widener, Secretary; Babe Brock, V-Pres.; Mary Juett, Pres.; Connie Robertson, Treas. STANDING: Jean Slater, Carol Lillis, Julie Dennis, Donna Chockley, Patsy Lord, Mrs. Janet Meyers, Advisor.

F. F. A.



FIRST ROW: Charles Beadles, Sentinel; Kenny Bowles, Treasurer; Don Long, Vice-President; Jim Lucie, President; Marvin Musick, Secretary; Kent Slater, Reporter; Mr. Trucano, Advisor. SECOND ROW: Larry Robertson, Bill Beard, Roger Herron, Dick Ringenberg, Jim Ringenberg, Gary Melvin, Randy Billingsley, Kenny Melvin. THIRD ROW: Mike Kelly, Robert Comstock, Bob Whitford, Roger Kelly, Melvin Schone, Jack Lemon, Kenny Roberts.



Parliamentary Team: Kenny Bowles, Larry Robertson, Kent Slater, Mr. Trucano, Jim Lucie, Marvin Musick, Charles Beadles, Don Long.



Senior Ag. Members. Don Long, Jim Lucie. CENTER: Mr. Trucano, Advisor.

Compliments of HALSTEAD HOLST, D.V.M.

PEP CLUB OFFICERS



Patty Cooper, Vice-president; Carol Lillis, Secretary; Julie Dennis, President; Mark Huff, treasurer.

AWARDS



Larry Hiland presenting the Student Council president, Bette Weinberg, with the 1961 Consolation trophy from the Holiday Basketball Tournament.



Mrs. Meyers presenting Bonnie Eaton with the local Betty Crocker Homemaking Award.

FADS AND



**Steadies Go For the
His and Hers Look**



**Sharpshooters in Their
Bulletproof Vests**



**1961 Fashion News Dictates
The Trench Coat As A Must**

FASHIONS

**Return of the 20's —
Cuties and Racoon Coats**



**I Dreamed I was a Freshman
In My Bulky Knit Sweater**

**An Average Day In
An Average Way**



F. H. A. ROYALTY



FRESHMAN
ATTENDANT
Jean McGinnis



SOPHOMORE
ATTENDANT
Patty Cooper



F.H.A. KING AND QUEEN
Bette Weinberg and Jack Lemon

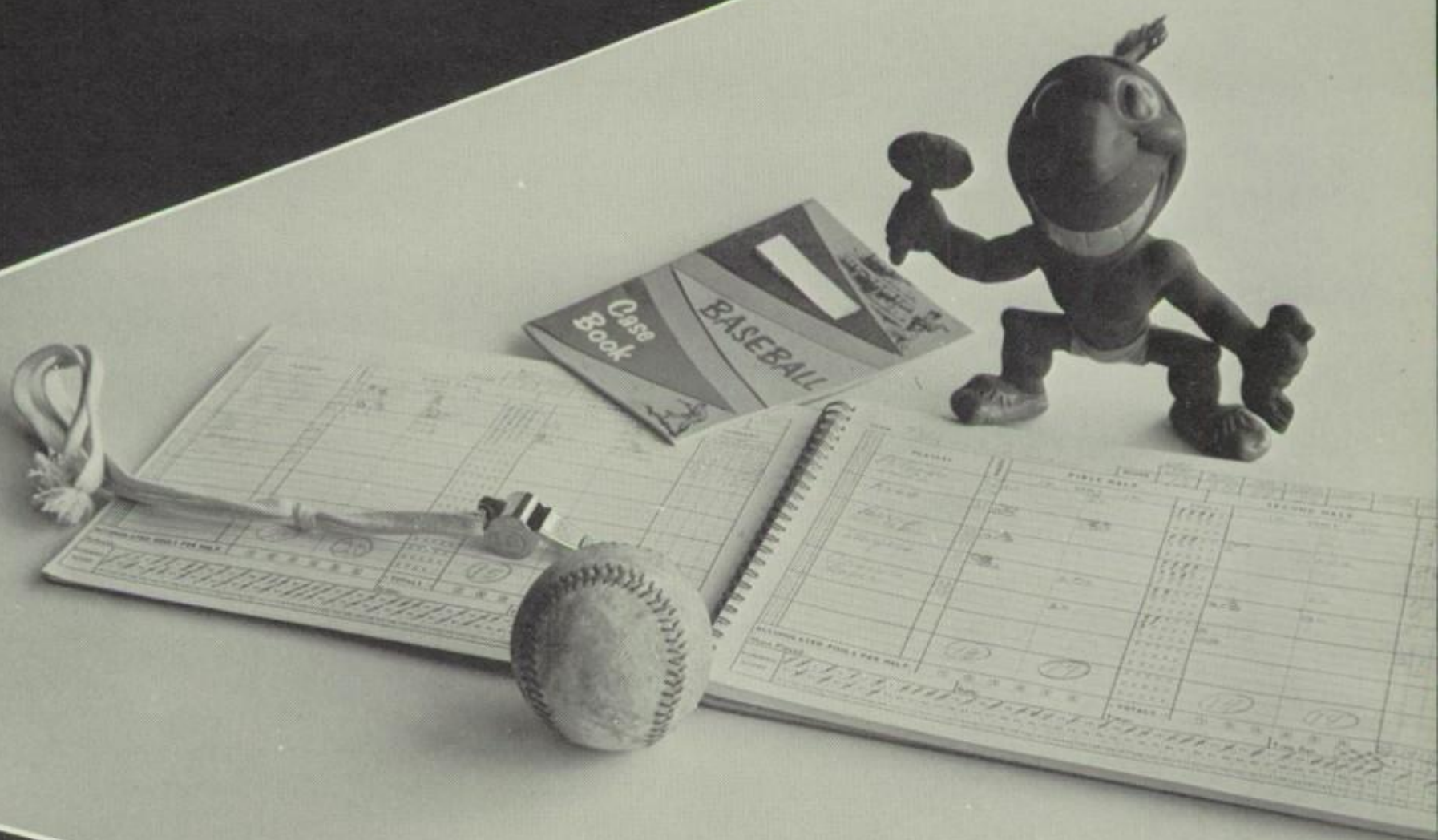


JUNIOR ATTENDANT
Jane McGinnis



SENIOR ATTENDANT
Bettie Roberts





SPORTS



FIRST ROW: Marvin Musick, Bill Beard, Marvin Bagent, Dick Young, Larry Grant, Gary Melvin, Kenny Bowles.
 SECOND ROW: Don Long, Harlan Eilers, Bob Stienbarger, Larry Hiland, Jim Lucie, Milo Shult, Jim Ballas, Kenneth Roberts, Coach Lewis.

BASEBALL



TEAM MANAGERS: Kenny Bowles and Marvin Musick with Coach Lewis

Compliments of WORRELL APPLIANCE
 RCA Victor, RCA Whirlpool



Is he safe?
Jim Lucie and Bob Stienbarger

Do you really think
so? !

Larry Hiland and Dick
Young



The last year up to bat for these Redskins



Ready for the pitch!

Harlan Eilers and Dick
Young

Compliments of
COMSTOCK SHELL
SERVICE

Where's the ball?
Milo Shult



1961 HANCOCK COUNTY CHAMPS



TOP CLOCKWISE: Larry Hiland, Bob Stienbarger, Don Mathis, Dick Young, Jim Lucie, Milo Shult.



Coach Lewis and Larry Hiland presenting Student Council president, Bette Weinberg, with the championship trophy.

Compliments of DRS. W. AND W. STIENBARGER



Tom Ballas, Curtis Stout, Jim Lucie, Milo Shult, Larry Hiland, Coach Jim Lewis, Don Higgins, Bob Stienbarger, Dick Young, Don Mathis, Marvin Bagent; KNEELING: Kenny Bowles, Manager.



Kent Slusher, Marvin Musick, Tom Ballas, Curtis Stout, Mike Kelly, Ray Boone, Don Higgins, Don Mathis, Homer Stanley, Kent Slater, Marvin Bagent, Larry Grant; KNEELING: Bill Holmes, Manager; Coach Jim Lewis.



CHEERLEADERS
Bette Weinberg, Julie Dennis, Connie Robertson,
Babe Brock, Bettie Roberts, Jack Lemon.



Mathis
6'



Young
6'1"



Shult
6'1"



Hiland
6'3 1/2"



Stienbarger
6'2"

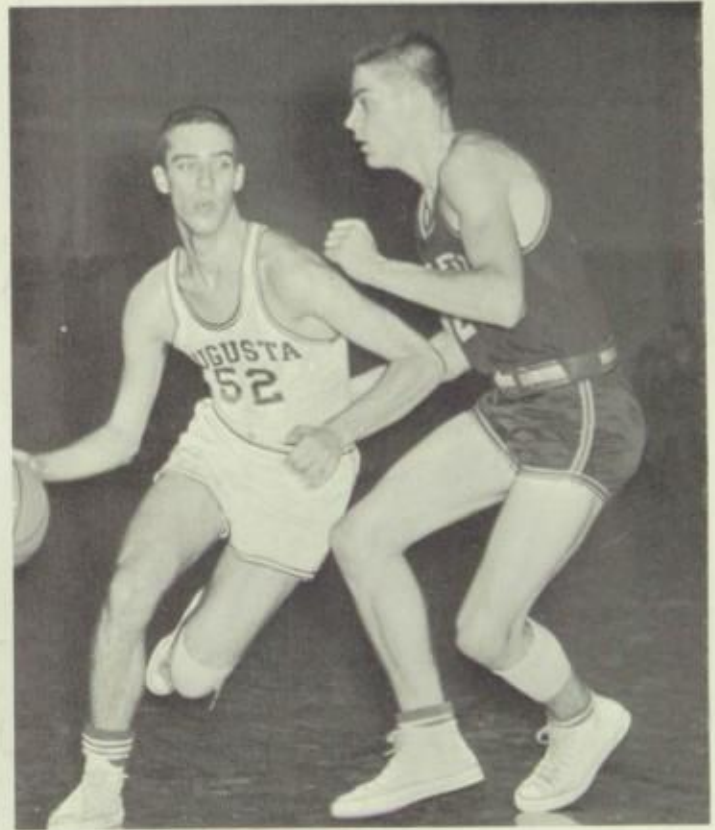


Lucie
6'1"

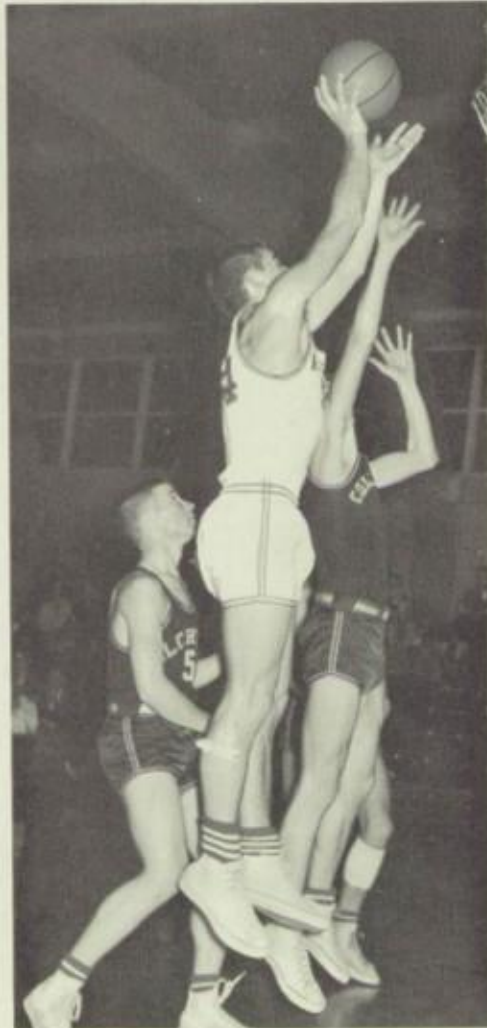
REDSKINS IN ACTION



See that basket!



Work it! Work it! Way in!



Watch'em Redskins! Watch'em!

We want a basket!



Let's go Redskins!



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 Pitney Drug Store
 Rodger's Department Store
 Western Auto Store, Phone 37, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Schutte

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We, the Hilltopper Staff of 1961, take this opportunity to express our appreciation to, and sincerely thank the patrons for their financial support; Blankenberg Studios for their service; the faculty for their patience and cooperation when pictures were taken; and to everyone who helped make this yearbook a success. To Mrs. Heine, our yearbook advisor, goes a special thanks for her assistance. Through these pages, we give to you memories of our school year 1960-61.

Sharon, I'm my pal across the land at me. When you smile every with I can smile back. I sit you feel my horn in my mouth but you can't do that. I hope that you and Herill can get a 1st or 2nd year. Be good love Maisha

Sharon, you're a great schoolmate. I don't recall ever seeing you with a frown on your face. Keep up the good work and keep smiling your friend Chuck

Chuck I guess I'll see you in 1st or 2nd year. Be good love Maisha

Sharon: To a junior girl who is a lot of fun. See, you will be a sophisticated senior next year. The time really flies. Good luck to you in the future. Be good and I'll see you this summer.

A friend always,
Donna

Sharon -
To a fellow
To Good Luck
in your future years.
Curtis Stout

Sharon, I'm my pal across the land at me. When you smile every with I can smile back. I sit you feel my horn in my mouth but you can't do that. I hope that you and Herill can get a 1st or 2nd year. Be good love Maisha

To a "kid" that sits on the bus with me about every morning and whose perfume I notice. This is only the beginning of Sharon but when you get to almost the end, you wonder where it all has went. All I can do is wish you luck and I enjoyed having you on the bus to bring up profound or unusual subjects. Don't forget the poem I thought up about you and sent you. If you had taken enough time to read it. Best wishes and Good Luck

Jimmy M. Combs

Dear Sharon
I'm glad we have
made friends because
you are a real nice gal.
I wish you the best of
luck in your last year of A.C.H.S.
a friend always
Wilma.

Sharon
I wish you
the best of
luck & in
everything.
I know you
will have success
because you're
a very nice girl.

Luck always,
Lynn

"Sharon"
you'll be a Senior next year
and as "Las Leas" will be starting
last year. It can be the best of your
or both. Make the fun, or educational
lots of luck!

Sharon:
To a old class
To a old way
make. See
back. See you, and
you next year, and
Good luck - Kelly
Rogers

Sharon:
I bet you don't know it
but I've been by your house
a couple of times. Hope to see
you next year.
Your friend
Mow.

Sharon:
It's a pleasure to be in
the same class with
such a nice girl. Good
luck in the future.
Jim

Sharon:
We had a lot of fun
one more year and we are
through. We had a lot of fun
at old F.C. H.S. but we have to
make next year our best. It really
seem like we should be high
all the fun we've had and
parties they were wild.
to hard this summer
you next year

Sharon
girls of all the
high in Augusta
it would be fun to go
to school
Mike

Sharon:
Remember all the hard
times you gave me in
the store. Lots of luck
and keep that sweet
smile (V) this summer
Carol S
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Sharon,
I think
you're one of
the nicest girls
in school and I wish
there were more like you.
A friend
Roger

Sharon, To a real
sweet girl. I'll miss
you and those long
bus rides next year.
Even though it was
a tough pull through
Algebra, it looks
as though we
both made it.
Lots of luck in
your future.

A friend
Carolyn
Sights
See good
had! times
never forget the
luck to you.
To state
when
talking
future!
both get
ta!
and I
year of
well. we
Dear Sharon.

Sharon,
To a good girl
who is a good
friend.

From a good friend
freshman.
All the luck in the
world. Heat

Sharon:
To a real swell
classmate. Remember
the fun we have had in
our classes together. We
don't have any classes together
this year. I hope next year
we will. Just think. We have
only one more year. It doesn't
seem possible, does it? Have fun
this summer, and I will
see you this fall as
Seniors. Good luck.
A friend always,
Jeanie

Sharon: To a
real sweet "buddy"
Don't ever for-
get our noon-
hours talks.
Some of them
were pretty
interesting.
Best of Luck.
A Junior
Karen.

Doesn't
any
member
Sharon
road back in your
it with last 7 years.
and I'll see
Bob C.

A friend
Mary Jane

Dear Sharon,

My buddy "Pitt"
Much good luck in the future
as a Senior or Mrs. Someone

may God bless you,

Wanda J. Maynard

Sharon:
To a swell classmate
and friend. We are
happy to have had a lot of
laughs and good
times together.
I hope we really
have a ball our
last year here.
A friend,
Mary Jane

Good luck
Best wishes
Sharon
and
good luck
friend
good luck
friend
good luck
friend

